

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Hikaru KAI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 4903
Application No.: 10/587,431 : Group Art Unit: 1648
Filed: July 27, 2006 : Examiner: Angieszka BOESEN
For: METHOD OF PRODUCING VIRUS

AMENDMENT AFTER NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed December 22, 2010. A petition for a one-month extension of time accompanies this response.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 associated with Customer No. 20277 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.